# The Corporation of the City of Kawartha Lakes Minutes

# Fenelon Landfill Public Review Committee Meeting

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Thursday, February 13, 2020
2:00 P.M.
Fenelon Falls Community Centre
27 Veterans Way, Fenelon Falls, Ontario

Members:
Councillor Doug Elmslie
Robert Coleman
Julia Taylor
Mike Wilson

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#### 1. Call to Order

The Chair called the meeting to order at 2:00 p.m.

# 2. Adoption of Agenda

Moved By M. Wilson Seconded By J. Taylor

Carried

# 3. Disclosure of Pecuniary Interest

There were no declarations of pecuniary interest disclosed.

# 4. Approval of the Minutes of the Previous Meeting

Moved By J. Taylor Seconded By R. Coleman

Carried

# 5. Landfill Complaints

No complaints.

#### 6. Leachate Outbreaks

No leachate outbreaks.

#### 7. Other New Business

# 7.1 Blue Box Transition to Producer Responsibility

Staff gave an introduction on the blue box transition to producer responsibility and what is expected to occur in the coming months and years. Members were encouraged to attend or watch the recording of the March 10th committee of the whole meeting, as AMO (the Association of Municipalities of Ontario) will be giving a presentation on the topic.

Moved By R. Coleman Seconded By M. Wilson

Carried

# 7.2 Waste Strategy Implementation Plan for 2020

Staff gave a brief overview of the timeline for Waste Strategy items in 2020. Special mentions were made that public space recycling needs to be a focus, with good signage that is consistent with waste and recycling disposal at home. Another idea would be for a common waste and recycling area instead of multiple bins, with volunteers available to assist residents.

Jump In was also noted as a great communications tool that needs to be utilized more for the waste management department.

Moved By M. Wilson Seconded By R. Coleman

Carried

#### 7.3 Public Education and Communications Feedback

Staff facilitated an activity for members to give examples of public education and communications initiatives that they would like to see start, stop and continue, with everyone ultimately voting on their favourite items.

Staff will use this information as they work on the draft report surrounding public education, that is planned to head to the April Council meeting.

Moved By J. Taylor Seconded By M. Wilson

Carried

#### 7.4 Tire Collection Update

Staff went over the memorandum outlining the options for tire collection and the issues that have been experienced over the past year. Staff are recommending that Kawartha Lakes stop accepting tires for recycling at the City's landfill sites and direct customers to producer operated collection sites for recycling.

**Moved By** R. Coleman **Seconded By** J. Taylor

**That** the Fenelon Landfill Public Review Committee supports the staff recommendation to stop accepting tires at the City's landfill sites and direct customers to producer operated collection sites for recycling; and

**That** prior to this change, multiple communications and advertisements are released to ensure all residents are aware of the various locations across the City that will still accept tires.

#### Carried

# 7.5 Main Street Waste Receptacles

Julia brought up the issue of the waste receptacles on the main street of Fenelon Falls. Garbage is often overflowing with people's personal waste filling up the area around the bins.

Julia will be working to remove the circle tops of each of the receptacles and will be asking businesses to adopt the garbage cans that are located in proximity to their locations.

New garbage bins are to be replaced with the street reconstruction therefore this is a temporary solution and there is a need for the City to become involved in design discussions to ensure they are properly managed in the future.

#### 7.6 Roadside Litter

Mike commented on the amount of litter on City roads and is curious if there is a solution and possibly a pilot program that could be implemented. It was suggested that in problem areas potentially a large bin could be placed for people to throw their garbage, or potentially something with a target that would at least capture the materials, rather than them ending up on roadsides.

It was also noted that there is the adopt-a-road program where people can volunteer for a clean up and will be provided all the necessary tools.

This is something that staff have taken note to discuss internally, to come up with a solution.

#### 8. Public Comment Period

No comments.

# 9. Next Meeting

Thursday, March 12, 2020, Fenelon Falls Community Centre, commencing at 2:00 p.m.

# 10. Adjournment

Moved By J. Taylor Seconded By R. Coleman

Carried